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Applicants: Thierry NOVET, et al.
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CIRCUIT SECTION TO A CHAMBER, AND FUEL CELL
COMPRISING SAME
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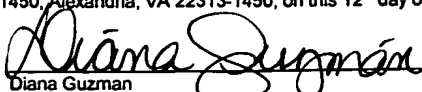
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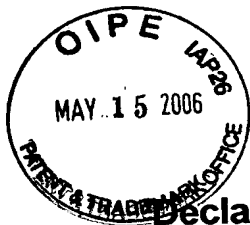

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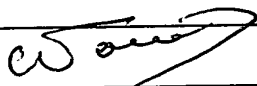
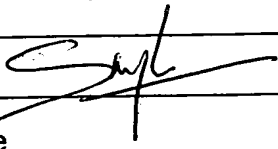
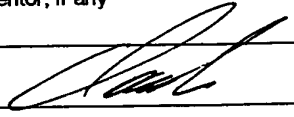
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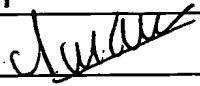
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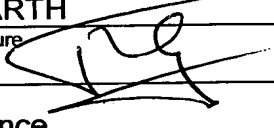
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